

- Recent work on CII (Blight) speaks of "lessons learned" from CII - caution, realism (McN's view) which will no ref. to any later behavior, going to VN - as if some people had not gone to VN 2 yrs later!

Using same approach!

might try have forced to learn center (McN's) important "lessons" - or heard some wrong ones?
truth

18 years ago, in the midst of the least, most violent decade of the 30-year Indochina War, I addressed the question. It had been raised the previous year - by Branson & RFK

and the following year, Alex Hoge....

Now, McN confirms.... (i.e. Blight...) [any ref to VN in book?]
(no notion of future...)

See, - both cases, McN's satisfaction that he was (really) saving US (+ world) from JCS strategy... less more limited,
(less legal?)

(then seems to abstain from moral not more effort and an effective issues?)

(Then Pres determination - to do something; McG B
this, then, being both "legal" and "moral")

Pres determines McD (i.e. blame of det. harm;
judge + jury Superior Meaning...
+ "pros." (AG) (unless captured!)
or infringed?

(Does Superior Court feel that
it has no jurisdiction over Pres in matter of
war/peace, national security? Include Congress?
(or voters).
could over-ride Pres' judgment
no role for courts?
(or just - too dangerous for Court
to intervene?)

Coercive strategies continue, whether whether or
not achieve. (for Parsons Thompson) Nic; Kilgus; Pomara (!)

1973: about late shows: "I'm willing to do nothing should its risk of
me war; you later not start me war;" and "I will create a risk of
raise

Look back at CII in light of (McN's acknowledgment)
of military in VN - with different result.

And look at VN in light of new knowledge of Cuba II

(e.g. Nguyen = 34A

with intention in 1970

(34A still present)

inquiry - paper

pre-PP (after I had read,
copied, gave to Santa,
written G.M.
but not released.

— I didn't yet know of
New Ult, or FU threat,
Machin thing
(Small Section!)

— But I did expect further
esc - at least, deferring
"to avoid losing."
Fall of 70 (election).
San Jo...

re-read! — Machin in Laos —
on civilian strategy
~ 8 months later

(I had not expected Cambodia,
in absence of NVN offensive;

Did N "beam" from Cuba II?

see Riple platform, on "Rendition"

Reyes + Snow: 1971

Reyes + Snow 1974 (Before word on New Ult)
or on Moussou

see X relation to Cuba I! + Cuba! ^{Reyes} ^{Reyes}
call for guarantee in CII (Secret Team
WG/me

^{by: + hope:}
(POS) a special fraction / strain in US politics,
a career (that has not (?) materialized)

CFR paper, p. 13

that N Rums' Drifted on Cuba II;

and all N statements - lessons of Cuba II

& LBJ to N, 1969!

What did N (& LBJ) learn from Cuba II?!

LBJ was there - i Cuba II - just like submarines!
(I don't mention him, i CFR paper!)

SEE N OCT, NOV '69 - closer to CII
than 1964-65!

But see MCG B; he is wary to describe N
"inability to transfer"

or to say failure was done w/ the
strategic context;

Have efforts at corrosive ops - including
new threats - enriched, with profits?

or, efforts that are not bluffs, which
(perhaps, less so than with JFK!)

1973 - (and 1969?) - threat of use,

and possible loss of control (and open SAC about)

are same threat as i Cuba II!
(and Berlin!)

see factors of public support (elects

demos

CO

trans. is)

upheld under - rated by Alex George

and legitimacy / quality / morality / right

ignored by AG

(as a factor for public, allied publics, and resolution
of leaders).

Coercion

All can claim that this approach "minimizes violence" (consistent with "doing the job");

- 1) Small, steady violence: no threat of increase ["but possible, prolonged: Korea, VN"]
- 2) ~~Threat~~ ^{large,} small; V, with threat of more.
- 3) Threat only, of much more.
- 4) Sharp, rocking, "clim" violence
(e.g. "marginal strike" in animals
"clim FS, 1961")
- 5) All-out violence (JCS)
- 6) Terror, small, or large (cif-bonding).
- 7) NVR (violence only to ourselves).

Issues: Is the violence (as who?) justified

- a) if it 'succeeds' quickly, as hoped.
- b) if it does not succeed quickly, and with
- is expanded
 - is continued
 - is delisted (with factory)

Corrosion - VN & Cuba II

✓ - Was VN (RT, 34A) a piece / cost of
"success" in Cuba II?

Poorly understood, for Cuba II
and com-mable of differences

- ~~I~~ no PP for Cuba II
or VN, 1968-75

✓ - ^{Brown} Lines couldn't mention 34A - 1971
" " " " 1970
with of us (?) know of Mongoose

the any large president?
(or - Quinn (1) - Chin?
Ask Whiting: Preservation?
= Jack Ruby?

✓ - Did Brown know of Shabon, 1964?
Corrosion goes back to at least fall '63

- Attention = meeting corrosion?
+ RT

- Lines didn't know RMN ^(win) strategies, 1968-75 (line 4)

- One thinks as corrosion; ^{didn't}
Lines used for corrosion! ~ 1970,
McN ("Not weapons"? Punished

too early } "us-m-mi" "could be used"
too late } of dispute affairs? If gum thought that, would would
off other side be super, and there
would be no way
on ones corner